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10 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

11 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

12 FOR THE CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

13 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

14 Plaintiff,

15 v.

16 PEDRAM MEHRAN,

17 Defendant.
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No. CR 24-0084-GW

ORDER CONTINUING TRIAL DATE AND
FINDINGS REGARDING EXCLUDABLE TIME
PERIODS PURSUANT TO SPEEDY TRIAL
ACT

**[PROPOSED] PRETRIAL CONFERENCE
DATE:**

August 19, 2025

[PROPOSED] TRIAL DATE:

September 30, 2025

21 The Court has read and considered the Stipulation Regarding
22 Request for (1) Continuance of Trial Date and (2) Findings of
23 Excludable Time Periods Pursuant to Speedy Trial Act, filed by the
24 parties in this matter on July 31, 2025. The Court hereby finds that
25 the Stipulation, which this Court incorporates by reference into this
26 Order, demonstrates facts that support a continuance of the trial
27 date in this matter, and provides good cause for a finding of
28 excludable time pursuant to the Speedy Trial Act, 18 U.S.C. § 3161.

1 The Court further finds that: (i) the ends of justice served by
2 the continuance outweigh the best interest of the public and
3 defendant in a speedy trial; (ii) failure to grant the continuance
4 would be likely to make a continuation of the proceeding impossible,
5 or result in a miscarriage of justice; and (iii) failure to grant the
6 continuance would unreasonably deny defendant continuity of counsel
7 and would deny defense counsel the reasonable time necessary for
8 effective preparation, taking into account the exercise of due
9 diligence.

10 THEREFORE, FOR GOOD CAUSE SHOWN:

11 1. The trial in this matter is continued from August 19, 2025
12 to September 30, 2025 at 8:30 a.m. The pretrial conference is
13 continued from August 7, 2025 to September 18, 2025 at 8:00 a.m.

14 2. The time period of August 19, 2025 to September 30, 2025
15 inclusive, is excluded in computing the time within which the trial
16 must commence, pursuant to 18 U.S.C. §§ 3161(h)(7)(A), (h)(7)(B)(i),
17 and (B)(iv).


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1 4. Nothing in this Order shall preclude a finding that other
2 provisions of the Speedy Trial Act dictate that additional time
3 periods are excluded from the period within which trial must
4 commence. Moreover, the same provisions and/or other provisions of
5 the Speedy Trial Act may in the future authorize the exclusion of
6 additional time periods from the period within which trial must
7 commence.

8 IT IS SO ORDERED.

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10 August 4, 2025

11 DATE



HONORABLE GEORGE H. WU
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

12 Presented by:

13 /s/

14 Kedar S. Bhatia
15 Assistant United States Attorney
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